

DISTRICT REPORTS.

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BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.

Current.

Prices of food grains—Boiled rice, 2nd sort	7.13	6.90	Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas.
Ragi	13.62	12.37	
Rangoon rice, 2nd sort	...	7.47	

Agricultural operations.—Paddy is being harvested and thrashed.

Cattle are in good condition. Water and fodder are sufficiently available.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Market well supplied.
9. *Progress of agricultural operations.*—Weeding in potato gardens and sugar cane plantations is reported in parts of the Devanhalli Taluk.
State of standing crops.—Paddy, sugar cane, togari, avare and castor are reported to be fair.
Harvest and outturn.—The harvesting of paddy and sugar cane in parts of the Bangalore Taluk; paddy, avare and groundnuts in parts of the Magadi Taluk; paddy in parts of the Channapatna Taluk and paddy, avare, potatoes and horse gram in parts of the Anekal Taluk, are reported during the week.
Paddy—8 annas in the Bangalore and Anekal Taluks, 4 annas in the Kankanhalli Taluk, 12 to 16 annas in the Channapatna Taluk and 2 to 4 annas in the Devanhalli Taluk.
Avare—4 to 12 annas in the Nelamangala Taluk and 4 annas in the Anekal Taluk.
Ragi—2 to 8 annas in the Kankanhalli Taluk 2 to 12 annas in the Channapatna Taluk and 2 to 6 annas in the Devanhalli Taluk.
Potatoes—8 annas in the Anekal Taluk.
Groundnuts—6 to 8 annas in the Devanhalli Taluk.
Horse gram—4 annas in the Anekal Taluk.
10. Prospects of the season are generally good. Food stocks are available. Labour is available to the cooly classes.
11. Public health is generally good.
12. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Market well supplied.
9. *Agricultural operations.*—Vaisakhi paddy is being sown in the Mulbagal and Goribidnur Taluks.
Crops sown.—Vaisakhi paddy in the Mulbagal and Goribidnur Taluks and potatoes in the Chikballapur Taluk
Crops harvested and their probable outturn.—Paddy in the Kolar, Bowringpet, Mulbagal, Bagepalli and Srinivasapur Taluks and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk, yield 8 annas; ragi in the Kolar, Chintamani, Mulbagal, Sidlaghatta, Bagepalli and Malur Taluks; yield 8 annas; and sugar cane in the Goribidnur Taluk and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk, yield 12 annas.
Standing crops.—Sugar cane, paddy and horse gram are fair.
10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food stuffs are available. Labour is available to the cooly classes.
11. Except for a few cases of plague in the Kolar, Mulbagal, Sidlaghatta, Malur and Srinivasapur Taluks and Kolar Gold Fields, public health is generally good.
12. Cattle are generally healthy. Pasture and fodder are available.

TUMKUR.

8. Market well supplied.
9. *Crops sown*.—Paddy in the Tumkur, Maddagiri, Sira and Pavagada Taluks and in the Koratagere and Turuvekere Sub-Taluks; kadale in the Chiknayakanhalli Taluk and in the Koratagere and Turuvekere Sub-Taluks; and jola in the Turuvekere Sub-Taluk.
- Crops harvested*.—Paddy in the Tumkur, Maddagiri, Chiknayakanhalli, Sira, Gubbi and Kunigal Taluks and in the Koratagere Sub-Taluk, yield 2 to 8 annas; avare, togari and horse gram in most parts of the district, yield 2 to 8 annas; and groundnuts in the Pavagada Taluk, yield 4 to 8 annas.
- State of standing crops*.—Dry crops are reported to be withering for want of rain; and wet crops under wells are reported to be fair.
10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food stuffs are available.
11. Except for small-pox in a few villages of the Tumkur and Pavagada Taluks and plague in a few villages of the Gubbi Taluk, public health is good.
12. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

MYSORE.

8. Market well supplied.
9. *State of standing crops*.—Paddy, horse gram, black gram, green gram, kadale, sugar cane, castor, avare, cotton, coriander and togari are reported to be in good condition.
- Crops harvested*.—Paddy and horse gram in parts of the Mysore, Chamrajnagar, Seringapatam, Mandya, Krishnarajpete and Nagamangala Taluks; green gram, avare, alasande, black gram and til in parts of the Chamrajnagar Taluk; sugar cane and avare in parts of the Seringapatam Taluk; paddy in parts of the Hunsur and Nanjangud Taluks; ragi in parts of the Nanjangud and Malvalli Taluks; haraka in parts of the Malvalli Taluk; and avare, til and castor in parts of the Nagamangala Taluk.
- Outturn of crops*.—Paddy in parts of the Mysore and Nanjangud Taluks, yield 8 to 12 annas and 12 annas, respectively; ragi in parts of the Nanjangud and Krishnarajpete Taluks, yield 8 annas and 6 to 10 annas respectively; and horse gram in parts of the Mysore and Krishnarajpete Taluks, yield 2 to 4 annas and 4 to 8 annas respectively.
10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.
11. Except for plague in parts of the Mysore, Seringapatam, Yedatore, Nanjangud and T. Narsipur Taluks, public health is generally good.
12. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

HASSAN.

8. Market well supplied.
9. *Standing crops*.—Kulthi, avare, togari and sugar cane in the Hassan Taluk; avare, kadale and chillies in the Arkalgud Taluk; sugar cane, togari, avare, kulthi and kadale in the Belur Taluk; sugar cane, castor, kulthi and togari in the Channarayapatna Taluk; castor, avare, togari, gingelly, sugar cane and kadale in the Arsikere Taluk; and sugar cane in the Hole-Narsipur Taluk and in the Alur Sub-Taluk, are reported to be in fair condition.
- Crops harvested*.—Sugar cane in the Channarayapatna Taluk; paddy in the Arsikere Taluk; togari, kadale and avare in the Hole-Narsipur Taluk; are being harvested.
- Yield*.—Ragi 8 to 12 annas and paddy, 8 to 14 annas in the Hassan Taluk; and sugar cane, 8 annas in the Channarayapatna Taluk.
10. Prospects of the season are generally good.
11. Public health is generally good, except for plague in Saklespur and Belur towns and small-pox in parts of the Arsikere Taluk.
12. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are generally available. Temporary wells have been sunk wherever water has failed in tanks in the Channarayapatna and Arsikere Taluks. The instructions issued by the Deputy Commissioner to keep the Ramenahalli and Hirikalgudda State Forests open even after the 31st December 1913, have allayed the anxiety for grazing which had been felt by the raiyats of some of the villages of the Kana-katte hobli, Arsikere Taluk.

SHIMOGA.

8. Market well supplied.
9. *Standing crops*.—Sugar cane throughout the district; kulthi, kadale, cotton, yennegar jola and paddy in the Channagiri Taluk; and wheat, yennegar jola and kadale in the Honnali Taluk, are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Paddy, ragi, jola, navane and cotton in the Channagiri Taluk; togari and avare in the Honnali Taluk; kulthi and castor in the Sorab Taluk; and paddy and arecanut in the Sagar and Tirthahalli Taluks, are being harvested. Sugar cane is being milled in the Shimoga and Sorab Taluks and Kumsi Sub-Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.
11. Public health is generally good, except for plague in the Shimoga and Shikarpur Taluks and small-pox in the Shimoga, Channagiri and Tirthahalli Taluks.
12. Cattle are healthy, except in the Channagiri, Sagar and Tirthahalli Taluks, where they are suffering from "foot and mouth" disease. Water and fodder are available.

KADUR.

8. Market well supplied.
9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being prepared in parts of the Tarikere and Mudgere Taluks and Yedahalli Sub-Taluk.

Crops sown.—Kar paddy is being sown in parts of the Koppa and Mudgere Taluks.

Standing crops.—Kulthi, onions, garlic and kadale in the Chikmagalur Taluk; kadale, wheat, sugar cane, togari, besige jola, paddy and castor in the Kadur Taluk; wheat, kadale, besige jola, cotton, castor, sugar cane, avare and chillies in the Tarikere Taluk; areca, sugar cane, coffee and pepper in the Koppa Taluk; paddy, ragi, sugar cane and coffee in the Mudgere Taluk; paddy, areca, coffee and sugar cane in the Yedahalli Sub-Taluk; and areca and paddy in Sringeri. All these crops are reported to be in fair condition.

Crops harvested.—Paddy and coffee in the Chikmagalur Taluk, yield of paddy 8 to 10 annas; ragi, savé, navane, coriander and paddy in the Kadur Taluk, yield avare 6 to 8 annas and kulthi 2 to 4 annas; ragi, kulthi, jola and paddy in the Tarikere Taluk; areca, paddy and coffee in the Koppa Taluk, paddy, ragi and coffee in the Mudgere Taluk; and paddy, areca and coffee in the Yedahalli Sub-Taluk. Want of sufficient rainfall has affected the yield of the crops in many parts of the district.

10. Prospects of the season are fair on the whole. Supply of food stuffs is sufficient.
11. Except for plague in some villages of the Chikmagalur and Kadur Taluks, and small-pox in some villages of the Chikmagalur Taluk and Yedahalli Sub-Taluk, public health is generally good.
12. Cattle are suffering from "foot and mouth disease" in some villages of the Chikmagalur, Kadur and Tarikere Taluks and Yedahalli Sub-Taluk, and "metre roga" in Elehole village of the Chikmagalur Taluk. Water and fodder are available.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Market well supplied.
9. *Standing crops.*—Paddy, sugar cane, castor, kulthi, wheat, cotton, chillies, kadale, bili jola, ragi, navane, sajjé, haraka, togari, avare, black gram and green gram, are reported to be in good condition, except in the taluks of Hiriyur, Molakalmuru and Hosdurga, where they are reported to be withering.

Seeds sown.—Paddy in the Hiriyur Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Paddy in the Challakere and Molakalmuru Taluks, yield 8 to 10 annas; kulthi in the Challakere, Davangere, Jagalur and Hosdurga Taluks and Harihar Sub-Taluk, yield 1 to 8 annas; castor in the Challakere Taluk, yield 4 to 6 annas; sugar cane in the Harihar Sub-Taluk, yield 2 to 6 annas; togari in the Challakere, Davangere, Jagalur and Hosdurga Taluks and Harihar Sub-Taluk, yield 1 to 12 annas; cotton in the Challakere, Jagalur and Davangere Taluks and Harihar Sub-Taluk, yield 4 to 12 annas; black gram in the Jagalur Taluk, yield 4 to 6 annas; green gram in the Jagalur Taluk and Harihar Sub-Taluk, yield 2 to 8 annas; ragi in the Molakalmuru and Hosdurga Taluks, yield 1 to 8 annas; jola in the Molakalmuru Taluk, yield 8 annas; and navane, avare, sesamum, savé and baragu in the Hosdurga Taluk, yield 1 to 8 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food stocks are available.
11. Public health is generally good except for small-pox in the Davangere Taluk and plague in Harihar town.
12. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.